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Michael Avella, Treasurer
New York Republican Federal Campaign
Committee
315 State Street
Albany, NY 12210

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Reference: Mid-Year Report (1/1/99-6/30/99)

Dear Mr. Avella:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-On Schedule H3 supporting Line 18 of the Detailed Summary Page, you have failed to provide a breakdown of transfers received by the federal account. Please amend your report to include the missing information.

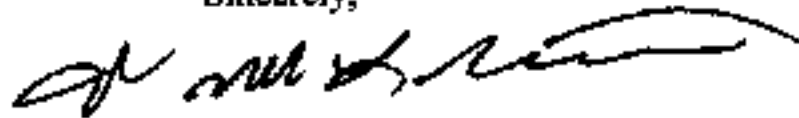
-Please clarify all expenditures for "1998 GOTV ad". In addition, if any of the voter registration or get-out-the-vote activities referenced House or Senate candidates, they should be allocated accordingly, unless merely incidental to the overall activity. If a portion or all of these expenditures were made on behalf of federal candidates, they should be reported on Schedule B, E or F for Line 23, 24 or 25 of the Detailed Summary Page, as appropriate.

-Your EVENT YEAR-TO-DATE calculations for Administrative/Voter Drive are incorrect. Schedule H4 of your report appears to disclose separate EVENT YEAR-TO-DATE totals for the payment of Administrative/Voter Drive debts incurred in 1998 and the non-debt related Administrative/Voter Drive payments made during 1999. EVENT YEAR-TO-DATE totals for administrative and voter drive costs are derived by aggregating all disbursements made during the calendar year for the whole Administrative/Voter Drive category. 11 CFR §104.10(b)(1)(A) This running EVENT YEAR-TO-DATE total should be disclosed after

each disbursement is listed. Please amend your report by providing the correct EVENT YEAR-TO-DATE totals.

A written response or an amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days of the date of this letter. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530. My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Donald L. Averett", written in a cursive style.

Donald L. Averett
Reports Analyst
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